

VIRGINIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, BLIND AND MULTI-DISABLED AT HAMPTON

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

ASSISTANT TEACHER (HOURLY POSITIONS FOR THE SUB POOL – NO BENEFITS)

**POSITION #: TBD
CONTINUOUS**

OPEN DATE: OPEN

**Hiring Range: (\$9.00 – \$12.00/per hour)
CONTINUOUS**

CLOSING DATE: OPEN

The Virginia School for the Deaf, Blind and Multi-Disabled is seeking Assistant Teachers to provide assistance to teachers working with students who have sensory impaired multiple disabilities in a school setting.

Selected candidates will work as needed.

Responsibilities include:

- Assist students in mastering goals/objectives according to established Individual Education Programs (IEPs)
- Provide assistance to students who are deaf or blind and have other disabilities as directed by the classroom teacher
- Assist in supervising students during daily activities, i.e. restroom breaks, lunch periods, and transitions from one activity or location to another
- Assist the teacher with students during field trips and other planned on and off campus activities
- Work as part of a team to facilitate maximum learning for all students
- Complete daily observation and incident reports as required
- Perform other duties as assigned to ensure quality delivery of educational services

Minimum Requirements:

- High school diploma or GED required
- One of the three options to meet the designation of “highly qualified” is required;
 - a) Completed two years of study at an institution of higher education; or
 - b) Obtained an associate’s (or higher) degree, or
 - c) Met a rigorous standard of quality and be able to demonstrate, through a formal state or local academic assessment, knowledge of and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics (or, as appropriate, reading readiness, writing, readiness, and mathematics readiness).
- Good communication skills and strong interpersonal skills required
- Some college; Associate degree preferred
- Experience working with disabled children in a vocational setting preferred

- Computer literate
- Current CPR and First Aid Certification required, or must be obtained within 90 days of employment
- At least a proficiency level of Advanced on the Sign Communication Proficiency Interview (SCPI). Candidates without the required proficiency level will be required to participate in approved ASL instruction.

Note: A criminal history check will be required for final candidates.

Physical Requirements

- Moderating lifting, 20–50 lbs
- Standing, sitting, reaching, lifting, walking, bending, climbing and repetitive motion

For consideration, submit State application form #10-012 to: The Virginia School for the Deaf, Blind and Multi-Disabled, Office of Human Resources, 700 Shell Road, Hampton, VA 23661, or FAX (757) 247-2028. For assistance call VOICE/TDD (757) 247-2050, or visit our website at www.vsdbmh.virginia.gov. Applications are available on our website or on line at <http://jobs.state.va.us/eo-appli.htm>.

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